COUNTY COURT VALUERS (IRELAND).

RETURN to an Order of the Honourable The House of Commons, dated 1st August, 1901;—*for*

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(*Mr. Jordan.*)

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NAME.	Date of Nomination pursuant to Section 22, Act of 1887.	Residence at Date of Nomination	Locality in which Practical Experience of Land acquired	Where Educated.	Previous Occupation
Barrington, Richard M.	12th October, 1887.	Fassaroe, Bray, Co Wicklow.	Chiefly in Counties Wicklow and Dublin Has farms in both counties	At home and in Trinity College, Dublin, at which University gained first honours and a moderatorship in Natural and Experimental Science Is M.A of that University, also LL B and B L.	Farming since boyhood,
Bradford, Samuel,	12th October, 1887.	Cambeg, Co Louth,	County Louth,	Educational Institution, Dundalk and Rev John Blockley's Classical School, Monaghan.	Gentleman Farmer and professional Land Valuer.
Dunwoody, Forster	12th October, 1887.	Monaghan,	Monaghan, Tyrone, Louth, Mayo, &c	Monaghan,	Land Agent and Farmer,
Edgar, John Walker.	16th January, 1897.	Buncrana, Co. Donegal.	County Armagh where he farmed and managed his father's and father-in-law's land, all of which subsequently became his own Conducted a large wholesale seed business	Belfast Academy and Royal Academical Institution	Wholesale seed business and farming
Eyre, Gerald Dillon.	13th March, 1891,	Prospect, Ballycumber, King's County.	Province of Leinster and Munster.	At a private school, Cork.	Farming.
Fitzpatrick, Peter,	12th October, 1887.	Carmeen House, Ballybay, Co. Monaghan.	Home farming in County Monaghan Was appointed an Assistant Land Commissioner from January, 1883 to August, 1884 Valued land in the County Down, Mayo, and Sligo Since 1887 County Court Valuer for the counties Cavan and Leitrim.	Seminary, Monaghan,	Farming,
Gurry, Patrick Valentine.	16th January, 1897	Redmondstown, Clonmel.	County Tipperary,	Castleknock, County Dublin, and Alost Belgium	All his life a Farmer
Heyden, Bernard,	12th October, 1887	Grenagh, Killarney	Co Dublin, Co Kildare, and Co Kerry In the latter county directed Agricultural operations on over 200 farms on the Herbert Estate making valuations of same, was Assistant Land Commissioner from 1883 to 1885, and was nominated by the Commissioners to act as Court Valuer, and was employed for Judge Richards in Co Mayo until that Judge resigned his appointment in 1890	At the Agricultural Establishment, Glasnevin	Farming,
Humphreys, William D.*	12th October, 1887.	Broomfield Midleton, Co Cork	Near Midleton, Co Cork and near Portarlington, King's County	Midleton College, County Cork	Managing his own property in County Cork and in the King's and Queen's Counties, and Farming

* This Gentleman is now a Lay Assistant Commissioner

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374 acres. Employ 20 labourers and boys.	As tenant but purchased under Ashbourne Act in 1887	Farming all his life, always resided on farm now occupied. Travelled over most of Ireland as valuer. Have visited Denmark and Copenhagen to study dairy business and milk supply to towns. Have studied surface vegetation and natural capabilities of various parts of Ireland and reported to Royal Irish Academy. Have acted as valuer for Board of Works, War Office, various Railway Companies, and acted as arbitrator many times. Author of various pamphlets on agricultural prices and the effect of seasons on crops.	Attended lectures two years in Engineering School, Trinity College, Dublin	88 8 0
About 1,000 statute acres	Owner principally. A small portion as tenant.	Always engaged in practical farming. Was assistant to his father during his lifetime, and for more than 25 years on his own account	Taught surveying and mapping at school. Have valued land in several counties, viz.:—Louth, Meath, Kilkenny, Down, Armagh, Tyrone, Fermanagh, Cavan, Monaghan, Galway, Roscommon, Sligo, and Mayo.	459 18 11
About 200 statute acres	Tenant, ...	Was trained to do all kinds of work on a farm before entering a Land Agency Office	Entered an Agency Office in the year 1857, and assisted in making valuations on expired leases, spent bogs, &c. Was accustomed to define and mark farms on Ordnance Sheets. Is not a practical Land Surveyor	6 6 9
209 acres .	Manager and tenant, .	The management of an estate comprising tillage and grass lands in the proprietor's own possession.	As above and worked under firms of Civil Engineers.	153 15 8
230 acres, . .	Tenant under a fee-farm grant	Practical experience on a farm in Canada.	Scaling off the Ordnance Sheet. Before nomination as County Court Valuer made private valuations for the Land Courts	211 16 9
150 acres, .	Both, ...	Tillage farming, rearing stock, grazing, &c	As above, and 19 months on Land Sub-Commission, 13 years valuing, mapping, and surveying for the County Court of Cavan and Leitrim	353 10 6
1,500 acres, some in grass and more in tillage.	Some as owner, and most part as tenant.	Has farmed land for tillage and grown crops fed fat and store cattle and sheep, and have bred thorough-bred and half-bred horses.	Has made all maps for County Court Judges by whom he was employed, and valued land in Counties Waterford, Kilkenny, and Limerick.	Nil.
400, ...	Tenant, ...	Successful breeder and exhibitor of prize cattle, green crops, clovers, &c	Had extensive experience as professional valuer before original appointment as an Assistant Land Commissioner	Nil.
422 acres, . .	220 acres held as owner, and 202 acres held as tenant	Little previous to 1887, save as above stated.	Little previous to 1887, save in connection with his own property.	3 3 0

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Kelly, Matthew, .	12th October, 1887.	Doolough Lodge, Miltown-Malbay, Co. Clare.	Counties Clare and Limerick.	Carlow College, &c. . .	Farmer, Land Agent, and Landlord.
Kenny, Matthew J.	21st February, 1898.	Ballinacurra House, Limerick.	Counties Clare and Limerick.	Carlow Lay College, .	Farmer, Major Royal Artillery.
Kiggell, Launcelot J.	12th October, 1887.	Lahara, Glin, Co. Limerick.	At above residence and on outlying lands; also on lands near Buttevant and Doneraile, County Cork.	Bandon Endowed Grammar School.	In the Militia, and acting as Land Agent in the Counties Cork and Limerick and attached to the Irish Land Commission for about 2½ years.
Martin, Richard, .	23rd April, 1900.	Little Island, Co. Cork.	Farmed land in Carragline, Caherlay, Wallingstown, and Knockraha, Co. Cork.	Cork	Farming and Land Valuing.
M'Elvaine, Andrew.	12th October, 1887.	Union Lodge, Scarva, Co. Down.	Counties Derry, Renfrewshire (Scotland), Galway, Meath, and Down, where he managed extensive land properties before taking to farming on his own account.	First near Derry; and finally, in Renfrewshire, Scotland.	Farming, . . .
Phillips, Edward,	12th October, 1887.	Thurlesbeg House, Cashel, Co. Tipperary.	Counties Tipperary, Kilkenny, and Limerick.	Endowed School, Clonmel, primary private tutor at home.	Farmer, both grass and tillage.
Sproule, Andrew,	12th October, 1887.	Brookhill, Omagh, Co. Tyrone.	Brookhill, Omagh, Co. Tyrone.	At the village school in Ballinahalty, and in Omagh.	Farming, ...

NOTE (1.)—£96 of the £201 6s. shown as remuneration to Mr. Martin was earned in the year 1900-1, but paid in the current year. (2.) The in Court, and for drawing up reports of their valuation 3s. for every 25 acres of
NOTE (3.)—This Return has been prepared from information

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About 700 acres,	Tenant, ...	Managing farms for his father,	As above and since December 1887, as Lay Sub-Commissioner and as County Court Valuer.	590 13 9
About 1,200 acres,	Tenant, . . .	Practical farmer, ...	Learned from qualified Architect and Engineer.	227 14 0
Over 300 statute acres.	Tenant, . .	Attending fairs, markets, and judging at County Agricultural Shows.	Two years and a half on Irish Land Commission About 2 years service in 1881-2 for Board of Works and from then until the present acting as County Court Valuer for several counties. No practical experience in surveying.	479 7 6
250 acres, . .	Tenant, ...	Extensive experience for many years in farming and constantly land valuing for last 18 years.	Valuing, mapping, and surveying for the past 18 years, two years of which worked as Assistant Land Commissioner.	204 0 0
175 acres in rotation together with other grass land.	Tenant, . .	Has 30 years' practical experience in extensive cultivation of land of varied description, together with breeding and feeding of cattle and sheep Has been a successful exhibitor of stock at the local shows	Has associated in 1882 with the late Mr Edmund Murphy, Government Arbitrator and Chief Receiver, when that gentleman was extensively engaged in valuation work. Has been ever since (now over 18 years) nearly daily engaged in land valuations. Scales the Ordnance Survey Map Is not a Surveyor.	Nil
350 statute acres,	Tenant, ...	At it all his life, ...	Valuing for evidence before Land Commission since 1880. Plain field surveying all his life since 21 years old Mapping, what he learned at school, and scaling Ordnance Maps.	3 7 0
120 acres, . .	Owner, ...	None, save as above, . . .	The experience gained during my service as Assistant Land Commissioner and Valuer for Land Commission Appeal Court for the two years 1883 and 1884, and since 1887 acting as Court Valuer up to the present time	138 12 0

remuneration paid to Land Valuers is at the rate of £3 3s a day, to include subsistence for each day on which they are actually employed land valued They are also allowed their actual necessary expenses of travelling.
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DUBLIN CASTLE,
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